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REMARKS

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1. On 17 July 1951, the Eisenbahnspionier Kaserne at Rehagen-Klausdorf (N 53/2 81) was occupied to capacity by troops who wore red-bordered black epaulets. Intensive training activity included drill with 6 model 1942 76.2-mm AT guns and 3 model 31/37 122-mm field guns which may have also been model 50X1-HUM 37 152-mm gun howitzers but, under no circumstances. AA guns. Gate guards were artillery insignia. Trucks [redacted] were identified at the installation. Trucks [redacted] were seen in the drivers' training area west of Fauler Lake. * 50X1-HUM 50X1-HUM

2. [redacted] after observing 150 soldiers with blue-bordered black epaulets engaged in drill and combat training in the barracks installation on Schumke Lake near Sperenberg on 17 July [redacted] recruits had recently arrived 50X1-HUM there. Some of the officers observed wore caps with a red band. Truck [redacted] was identified at the installation. [redacted]

3. A column of truck [redacted] another truck [redacted] and 4 full-track prime movers towing 4 AT guns of about 100 mm left the Eisenbahnspionier Kaserne, Rehagen-Klausdorf, on 6 June, heading toward Luendersdorf. * 50X1-HUM

* Comment. The information indicates no change in the occupation of [redacted] the Eisenbahnspionier Kaserne [redacted] The trucks mentioned in the present report belong to headquarters units of the Third Gds Mecz Army [redacted] to the 199th Light Arty Brig which is carried in 50X1-HUM the installation. 50X1-HUM

** Comment. [redacted] the barracks installation on Schumke Lake were almost vacant at the beginning of June 1951. [redacted] 50X1-HUM The engineer unit of the Third Gds Mecz Army, which is believed to be stationed there, was said to have been at an engineer training site on the Elbe River near Wittenberg since the end of April 1951. 50X1-HUM

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